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In re: Devine, et al.

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For: METHODS, SYSTEMS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR
RESUMING SNA APPLICATION-CLIENT COMMUNICATIONS AFTER LOSS
OF AN IP NETWORK CONNECTION

Date: September 24, 2004

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants provide the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Office Action mailed June 24, 2004.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s) – including fees for net addition of claims – are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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